

supporting] a hosel with said hosel fixed at an angle to said sole and positioned forward of  
said face;

said hosel having an opening for receiving a putter shaft;

said hosel opening having an edge lying substantially parallel with said top surface;

said head having a thickness between said face and back surfaces that varies in the  
head and toe regions from a maximum at the sole to a minimum at the top surface, and a  
thickness in a central region of less than 20% of the thickness in heel and toe regions;

said sole having a thickness in said central region of less than about 20% of the  
thicknesses in said heel and toe regions;

said sole having a cut out region extending from said back surface toward said face;

said cut out region having parallel recessed edges; and an insert configured to fill at  
least some of said cut out region and having edges configured to slide into said recessed  
edges.